

**COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION**

Attorney's Docket No.
003300-634

As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I BELIEVE I AM THE ORIGINAL, FIRST AND SOLE INVENTOR (if only one name is listed below) OR AN ORIGINAL, FIRST AND JOINT INVENTOR (if more than one name is listed below) OF THE SUBJECT MATTER WHICH IS CLAIMED AND FOR WHICH A PATENT IS SOUGHT ON THE INVENTION ENTITLED:

ENCAPSULATION METHOD

the specification of which

(check one)

is attached hereto;

was filed on 24 September 1998 as

Application No. PCT/SE98/01717

and was amended on _____;
(if applicable)

I HAVE REVIEWED AND UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED SPECIFICATION, INCLUDING THE CLAIMS, AS AMENDED BY ANY AMENDMENT REFERRED TO ABOVE;

I ACKNOWLEDGE THE DUTY TO DISCLOSE TO THE OFFICE ALL INFORMATION KNOWN TO ME TO BE MATERIAL TO PATENTABILITY AS DEFINED IN TITLE 37, CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, Sec. 1.56 (as amended effective March 16, 1992);

I do not know and do not believe the said invention was ever known or used in the United States of America before my or our invention thereof, or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before my or our invention thereof or more than one year prior to said application; that said invention was not in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to said application; that said invention has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before the date of said application in any country foreign to the United States of America on any application filed by me or my legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to said application;

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code Sec. 119 and/or Sec. 365 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate as indicated below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate on this invention having a filing date before that of the application(s) on which priority is claimed:

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Attorney's Docket No.

COUNTRY/INTERNATIONAL	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED
Sweden	9703874-9	23-10-1997	YES ^X NO
			YES NO

I hereby appoint the following attorneys and agent(s) to prosecute said application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and to file, prosecute and to transact all business in connection with international applications directed to said invention:

William L. Mathis	17,337	James A. LaBarre	28,632	Matthew L. Schneider	32,814
Peter H. Smolka	15,913	E. Joseph Gess	28,510	Michael G. Savage	32,596
Robert S. Swecker	19,885	R. Danny Huntington	27,903	Gerald F. Swiss	30,113
Platon N. Mandros	22,124	Eric H. Weisblatt	30,505	Michael J. Ure	33,089
Benton S. Duffett, Jr.	22,030	James W. Peterson	26,057	Charles F. Wieland III	33,096
Norman H. Stepno	22,716	Teresa Stanek Rea	30,427	Bruce T. Wieder	33,815
Ronald L. Grudziecki	24,970	Robert E. Krebs	25,885	Todd R. Walters	34,040
Frederick G. Michaud, Jr.	26,003	William C. Rowland	30,888	Ronni S. Jillions	31,979
Alan E. Kopecki	25,813	T. Gene Dillahunt	25,423	Harold R. Brown III	36,341
Regis E. Slutter	26,999	Patrick C. Keane	32,858	Allen R. Baum	36,086
Samuel C. Miller, III	27,360	Bruce J. Boggs, Jr.	32,344	Steven M. du Bois	35,023
Ralph L. Freeland, Jr.	16,110	William H. Benz	25,952	Brian P. O'Shaughnessy	32,747
Robert G. Mukai	28,531	Peter K. Skiff	31,917		
George A. Hovanec, Jr.	28,223	Richard J. McGrath	29,195		

and:

Address all correspondence to:

Benton S. Duffett, Jr.

BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS, L.L.P.

P.O. Box 1404

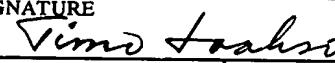
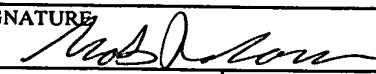
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1404

Address all telephone calls to:

Benton S. Duffett, Jr.

at (703) 836-6620.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

FULL NAME OF SOLE OR FIRST INVENTOR <u>Timo Laakso</u>	SIGNATURE 	DATE 7/3 2000
RESIDENCE HÜLLVIKEN, Sweden	SEX <u>SEX</u>	CITIZENSHIP Swedish
POST OFFICE ADDRESS Boltensternväg 33D, S-236 38 HÜLLVIKEN, Sweden		
FULL NAME OF SECOND JOINT INVENTOR, IF ANY <u>Mats Reslow</u>	SIGNATURE 	DATE 7/3 2000
RESIDENCE LUND, Sweden	SEX <u>SEX</u>	CITIZENSHIP Swedish
POST OFFICE ADDRESS Bondevägen 45, S-227 38 LUND, Sweden		
FULL NAME OF THIRD JOINT INVENTOR, IF ANY	SIGNATURE	DATE
RESIDENCE	CITIZENSHIP	
POST OFFICE ADDRESS		